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TO: ALL CHILD HEALTH AND DISABILITY PREVENTION (CHDP)
PROGRAM DIRECTORS, DEPUTY DIRECTORS, STATE CHILDREN'S
MEDICAL SERVICES (CMS) BRANCH STAFF AND REGIONAL OFFICE
STAFF

SUBJECT: AMENDMENT TO CHDP PROVIDER INFORMATION NOTICE NO.: 05-
09 - ADDITION OF MENACTRA™ , MENINGOCOCCAL CONUGATE
VACCINE (MCV4), AS A CHDP BENEFIT

The purpose of this CHDP Program Letter is to notify local CHDP programs of amendments made to Provider Information Notice (PIN) No.:05-09 that was issued September 16, 2005, regarding the addition of Menactra as a CHDP benefit.

The claiming instructions for Menactra were not clearly communicated in PIN 05-09. The PIN instructed providers to bill for purchased Menactra by entering codes 70 and 73 on the PM 160 and entering \$101.84 in the fees section of the claim. Because of restrictions in the CHDP claims processing system, it is not possible to bill for more than \$99.99 on one line. Therefore, providers must bill code 70 for \$99.99 on one line and code 73 for \$1.85 on a separate line. All other policies and procedures in the PIN are correct including the Reimbursement Table that was enclosed.

Please distribute this PIN without any revisions to providers in your county and complete and return a "Report of Distribution" (DHS 4504). The DHS 4504 can be found at www.dhs.ca.gov/chdp.

If you have any questions regarding this change, please contact your Regional Consultant.

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Enclosure